

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Junichi OTSUKA, et al.

Serial No. 10/045,578

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For: DEVICE STATUS MONITORING SYSTEM, DEVICE
MONITORING METHOD, AND A DATA STORAGE
MEDIUM AND OBJECT PROGRAM THEREFORArt Unit: 2194
Examiner: Diem K. Cao

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 Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	18	-20	20	**	0	LG=\$50 SM=\$25	\$50
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE	3	-3	3	***	0	LG=\$200 SM=\$100	\$200
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS							
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